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Rev. Mr. Phelps

Dear Sir,

It having been intimated that you might be willing to supply the Pulpit of the Free Church, for the time being - I have been requested by the brethren to say, it would be highly gratifying to have you do so - What we now pay, is ten dollars a Sabbath - which of course would be no object for you unless in connection with something else - It is thought by many of your friends, that you might buy out Mr. Porter of the Spectator and make ~~the~~ paper productive - I understand Mr. Porter is willing to make an arrangement with <sup>you</sup> in regard to it.

I consider our Church in a prosperous state - We are looking round for a suitable lot of land to build upon. We have not yet raised sufficient funds, but have no doubt it can be done - The Odion is all the go now - but there is room for half a dozen other establishments just like it - We shall receive eight individuals to our church at the next communion - I rejoice to learn that a State Society is to be formed in N.Y. We shall be glad to hear from you as soon as convenient -  
yours very truly John Gulliver -